

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Peter G. Hartwell

Serial No. 09/854,599

Filed: May 15, 2001

For: USE OF STANDOFFS TO PROTECT
ATOMIC RESOLUTION STORAGE
MOVER FOR OUT-OF-PLANE MOTION

Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: Karl I.E. Tamai

Date: July 29, 2003

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This response is submitted in reply to the Office Action mailed May 29, 2003 for the above-identified application, and is timely filed within two months of the date the Final Office Action was mailed.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.